



West Virginia Senate

Committee on the Judiciary

Minutes for FEBRUARY 25, 2021, 3:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on the Judiciary met on February 25, 2021, 3:00 PM in Room 208-W.

Members present: Senators Trump, Weld, Azinger, Grady, Karnes, Maynard, Phillips, Rucker, Smith, Stover, Woodrum, Beach, Caputo, Lindsay, Romano, Woelfel

Members absent: Senators Takubo

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Weld, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

S. B. 263 - Permitting online raffles to benefit nonprofit organizations.

Tom Smith, Chief Counsel, explained the bill, the purpose of the proposed committee substitute, and responded to questions.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee agreed to the committee substitute.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee reported the committee substitute to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee recessed.

The committee reconvened.

Chairman Trump removed **H. B. 2009** from the agenda.

S. B. 345 - Expanding alcohol test and lock program to include offenders with drug-related offense.

Laura Goins, Counsel, explained the bill, the purpose of the proposed committee substitute, and responded to questions.

With leave of the committee, Adam Holley, Deputy Commissioner and General Counsel, West Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule

28a by Chairman Trump, addressed the committee, and responded to questions. (See attached oath.)

With leave of the committee, Eli Baumwell, Policy Director, ACLU-WV, was administered the oath prescribed by Senate Rule 28a by Chairman Trump, addressed the committee, and responded to questions. (See attached oath.)

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee agreed to the committee substitute.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee reported the committee substitute to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

S. B. 332 - Providing procedure for WV to select delegates to Article V Convention.

Tom Smith, Chief Counsel, explained the bill, the purpose of the proposed committee substitute, and responded to questions.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee agreed to the committee substitute.

On motion of Senator Weld, the committee reported the committee substitute to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

On Motion of Senator Weld the committee adjourned.



Charles S. Trump
Chair



Beverly Douglas
Clerk/Analyst



The Senate of West Virginia

Testimony taken this 26th day of February, 2021, in
the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

"I solemnly swear (or affirm) that the testimony I shall give shall be
the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me
God."

Adam Holley

Print Witness Name

AH Holley

Sign Witness Name

Oath was administered by:

Charles S. Tramp

Print Member Name

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Sign Member Name



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Remote/Virtual Testimony

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Testimony Attested to by Committee
Clerk

Oath was administered by:

Charles S. Trump

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